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REQUEST FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

The initial period for response to the outstanding Office Action, issued May 20, 2003, expired on August 20, 2003.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17, petition is hereby made for a one-month extension of time up to and including September 20, 2003 in which to file a response. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$110.00 for the extension fee.

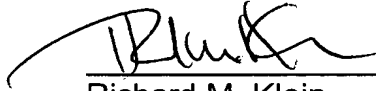
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